

REMARKS

In this preliminary amendment, claim 1 is being amended, claims 2, 3, and 7-31 are being cancelled and new claims 32 and 33 are being added. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been added. In the specification, the trademark "INVAR" has been duly noted. New claims 32 and 33 have been added wherein claim 32 recites the combination of cancelled claim 2 and claim 1 in independent form and claim 33 recites a printer having the allowed novelty of the print head. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the claim 33 does not require a new search or burden on the Examiner since the claimed printer is in the same field as the searched print head.

The specification has been amended to identify parent application Serial No. 09/925,154 and to include a claim of priority. A copy of the original Declaration and Power of Attorney is submitted herewith pursuant to M.P.E.P. 201.06(c). Applicants request prompt and favorable consideration by the Examiner of the now pending application.

Respectfully submitted,

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